



Transfiguration Parish

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**“Lord, It is wonderful
for us to be here...”**

—Matthew 17:4

Stick together. Love each other, and together: look to Jesus in prayer.



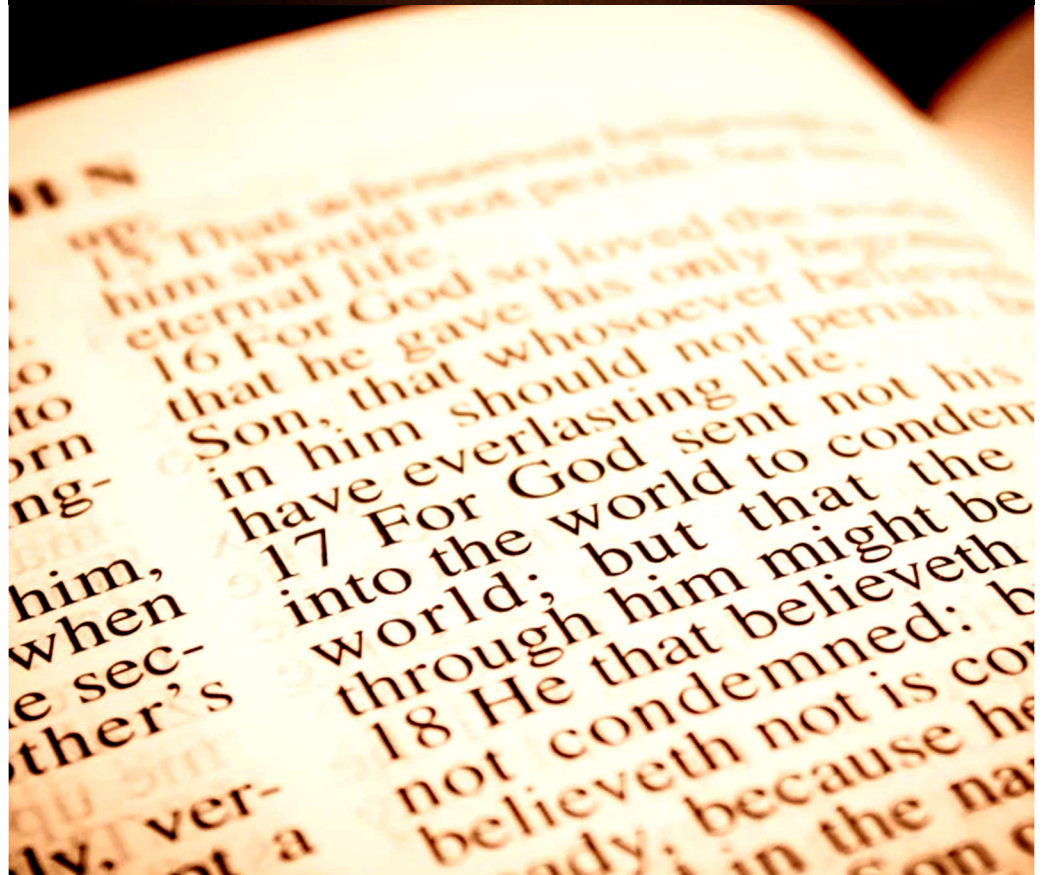
Parish Mission Statement

We are people called to build a Catholic Faith Community by seeking Christ and sharing His Gospel through Prayer, Education, Service and Social Activities.

OBSERVE THE SPIRIT OF THE

LAW

Mk. 7:1-8 . 14-15 . 21-23



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MASS TIMES

HORARIO DE MISAS

GODZINY MSZY ŚW.

SUNDAY LITURGIES

Saturday: —5:00pm (English)

—6:30pm (Español)

Sunday: —7:30am (English)

—9:00am (English)

—11:00am (English)

—12:30pm (Po Polsku)

WEEKDAY LITURGIES

8:00am (English) Mo, Tue, Th, Fri, Sat

* Wednesday at 9:00am (school months only)

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

Mass of Anticipation:

—7:00pm (Español)

Holy Day:

—8:00am (English)

—10:00am (English)

(school months only)

—6:30pm (English)

—8:00pm (Po Polsku)

Memorial Day & Thanksgiving

—9:00am (English)

School Masses (school months only)

Wednesday at 9:00am (Elementary School) — Friday at 2:00pm (Middle School)

READINGS & MASS INTENTIONS OF THE WEEK

INTENCIONES Y LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

MSZE ŚW. W TYGODNIU

Monday, September 3—St. Gregory the Great,

Pope & Doctor of the Church ✧ 1 Cor 2:1-5 / Lk 4:16-30

8:00 am All in Service to Our Country

Tuesday, September 4—Weekday ✧ 1 Cor 2:10b-16 / Lk 4:31-37

8:00 am Those in Financial Crisis

Wednesday, September 5—St. Teresa of Calcutta

✧ 1 Cor 3:1-9 / Lk 4:38-44

9:00 am Frassati students, faculty & their families

7:00 pm Religious Ed students, faculty and catechists

Thursday, September 6—Weekday ✧ 1 Cor 3:18-23 / Lk 5:1-11

8:00 am All Life From Conception to Natural Death

7:30 pm For All Priests

Friday, September 7—Weekday ✧ 1 Cor 4:1-5 / Lk 5:33-39

8:00 am Those Preparing for Sacraments

2:00 pm Frassati students, faculty & their families

7:30 pm †The Souls in Purgatory

Saturday, September 8—The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

✧ Mi 5:1-4a / Mt 1:1-16, 18-23

8:00 am The Seriously Ill

Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

✧ Is 35:4-7a / Jas 2:1-5 / Mk 7:31-37

5:00 pm †Frank Lahrman / †Keith Franke

6:30 pm †Jose Alonso Sanchez / †Maria Consuelo Briseno

7:30 am †Theresa Solimini

9:00 am All Nations Leaders

11:00 am The People of Our Parish / James Rosaves

Jackie Victor / Ann Dunk

12:30 pm For Our Priests

6:00 pm Those Living with Chronic Pain

Prayer List for the sick

OREMOS POR LOS ENFERMOS

MODLITWA ZA CHORYCH

▪ Leonardo Alaniz ▪ Beth & Tim Armstrong ▪ Candy Bergeron ▪ Baby Bentley Bernota ▪ Charles Buntenbach ▪ Carol Calcitrai ▪ Bryan Calhoun ▪ Maria Mireya Cervantes ▪ Peggy & Tony Chrusciel ▪ Celia Cortes ▪ Constance Cotsiomitis ▪ Patsy Daniels ▪ Peter Davis ▪ Margaret Dehne ▪ Mary C. Dennehy ▪ Ann Dunk ▪ Sheila Dunn ▪ Brad Emmer ▪ Phyllis Finnegan ▪ Bill Foley ▪ Vera Foley ▪ Helen Fritz ▪ Rose Gilligan ▪ Anne Guzi ▪ Christian Henke ▪ Crystal Hoff ▪ Desiree Hoff ▪ Dorothy Hoff ▪ Glenna Holcomb ▪ Helen Jakubek ▪ John James Kaptcia ▪ Linda Korona ▪ Michael Krolczyk ▪ Linda Larsen ▪ Donna Lesczynski ▪ Susan Liberio ▪ Leslie Mahn ▪ Jenna Mahoney ▪ Deann Meagher ▪ Ed McGinty ▪ Enrique Moreno ▪ James Murphy ▪ Ron Murphy ▪ Lynn Napoli ▪ Pablo Paniagua ▪ Georgia Pastirik ▪ Dc. Feliks Pezowicz ▪ Baby Joseph Pimentel ▪ Rae Poklenkowski ▪ Cathy Polnau ▪ Ponthieux & Sicotte Families ▪ Sharon Powderly ▪ Dorothy Race ▪ Audrey Raclaw ▪ LaVerne Richards ▪ Melanie Roldan ▪ Jim, Sue & Ron Rosaves ▪ James Rubino Sr. ▪ Mary Ann Rubino ▪ Maria Elena Sajuan ▪ Char Schafer ▪ Gary Scherer ▪ Ken Scherer ▪ Sandy Schraml ▪ Mary Schuman ▪ Stacy Scott ▪ Segovia Rivera Family ▪ Lou Speciale ▪ Ed & Jan Stepek ▪ Marge Thompson ▪ Peter Tortorice ▪ Daisy Walters ▪ Paul Wasno ▪ Alba Wolk ▪ Eileen Wood ▪ Dee Zimmermann & Family ▪ Rick Zimmermann ▪ All in Service to our Country and for all who are in detention centers.

A Prayer for Healing

ORACION DE SANACION

MODLITWA O UZDROWIENIE

Lord, You invite all who are burdened to come to you. Allow Your healing Hand to heal me. Touch my soul with Your compassion for others; touch my heart with Your courage and infinite Love for all; touch my mind with Your Wisdom, and may my mouth always proclaim Your praise. Teach me to reach out to You in all my needs, and help me to lead others to You by my example.

Most loving Heart of Jesus, bring me health in body and spirit that I may serve You with all my strength. Touch gently this life which you have created, now and forever. Amen.



Pray for the Faithful Departed

OREMOS POR LOS DIFUNTOS

MÓDLMY SIĘ ZA TYCH CO ODESZLI

"Come, you who are blessed by my father, says the Lord, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world."

**Susan Cermak,
Arnulfo Cortes,
Keith Franke,
Samuel Landis**

Eternal Rest Grant Unto Them, O Lord.

And Let Perpetual Light Shine Upon Them.

May their souls and the souls of the faithful departed, rest in peace.

AMEN



TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME LITURGY OF THE WORD

READING I —DT 4:1-2,6-8

Moses said to the people: "Now, Israel, hear the statutes and decrees which I am teaching you to observe, that you may live, and may enter in and take possession of the land which the LORD, the God of your fathers, is giving you. In your observance of the commandments of the LORD, your God, which I enjoin upon you, you shall not add to what I command you nor subtract from it. Observe them carefully, for thus will you give evidence of your wisdom and intelligence to the nations, who will hear of all these statutes and say, 'This great nation is truly a wise and intelligent people.' For what great nation is there that has gods so close to it as the LORD, our God, is to us whenever we call upon him? Or what great nation has statutes and decrees that are as just as this whole law which I am setting before you today?"

PSALM No. 15: They Who Do Justice

READING II —JAS 1:17-18, 21B-22,27

Dearest brothers and sisters:

All good giving and every perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no alteration or shadow caused by change. He willed to give us birth by the word of truth that we may be a kind of firstfruits of his creatures. Humbly welcome the word that has been planted in you and is able to save your souls. Be doers of the word and not hearers only, deluding yourselves. Religion that is pure and undefiled before God and the Father is this: to care for orphans and widows in their affliction and to keep oneself unstained by the world.

MASS INTENTIONS:

Daily Mass Intentions are available for parishioners who would like their intentions to be remembered at Mass. Intentions are available for those who have died or for someone who is living. Stop by the Parish Office or call us to obtain a date and time.

GOSPEL —MK 7:1-8,14-15,21-23

When the Pharisees with some scribes who had come from Jerusalem gathered around Jesus, they observed that some of his disciples ate their meals with unclean, that is, unwashed, hands. For the Pharisees and, in fact, all Jews, do not eat without carefully washing their hands, keeping the tradition of the elders. And on coming from the marketplace they do not eat without purifying themselves. And there are many other things that they have traditionally observed, the purification of cups and jugs and kettles and beds. So the Pharisees and scribes questioned him, "Why do your disciples not follow the tradition of the elders but instead eat a meal with unclean hands?" He responded, "Well did Isaiah prophesy about you hypocrites, as it is written: *This people honors me with their lips, but their hearts are far from me; in vain do they worship me, teaching as doctrines human precepts.* You disregard God's commandment but cling to human tradition." He summoned the crowd again and said to them, "Hear me, all of you, and understand. Nothing that enters one from outside can defile that person; but the things that come out from within are what defile. "From within people, from their hearts, come evil thoughts, unchastity, theft, murder, adultery, greed, malice, deceit, licentiousness, envy, blasphemy, arrogance, folly. All these evils come from within and they defile."

SUNDAY MASS INTENTIONS

General Intention

- 5:00 pm** — †Frank Lahrman
- 6:30 pm** — Pray to End Abortion
- 7:30 am** — †Keith Franke
- 9:00 am** — †Betty Kainz Contreras
The People of Our Parish
- 11:00 am** — †Walter, Catherine & Wally Bedtke
†Theresa Solimini
Phyllis & Jim Finnegan and Family
(60th Wedding Anniversary)
- 12:30 pm** — †Rose Weinhold



Stick together. Love each other, and together: Look to Jesus in Prayer.

Anger, shock, grief, shame. What other words can we say to describe the experience of learning about the devastating revelations of sexual abuse — and the cover up of bishops to safeguard the children entrusted to their care? I was angry and upset as I learned the news. So, I asked myself, how could this be happening again? What are the bishops doing now, and why should we trust that this time they will do the right thing? What are they doing now to ensure that those failures are not repeated? The Pope and the bishops need to know that we need more actions more than empty promises and pages of policies.

Now there are after this Grand Jury report of Pennsylvania, several more states already talking about doing their own grand jury investigations. It will be probably all over the place and so I say this to simply say that there is going to be more in the news coming up and as sad as it is, we need to recognize that actually something good is going to happen, the purification of the Church. That is going to ultimately lead her to her crucifixion.

Not many are going to remain faithful, unfortunately, but when we look at it and say well if this is what is going on in the Church what we supposed to do, we are supposed to look at Jesus and say exactly what Saint Peter said to the Lord in today's Gospel: "Lord, to whom shall we go, you have the words of eternal life". My dear friends, Jesus founded one Church and that one Church is the only institution in the world for the salvation of the souls. It was founded for that purpose and it will remain to the end of the world for that purpose.

I am deeply sorry for that much evil some clergy from all levels of the hierarchy have caused in the lives of so many children and young adults. I wish we had worked harder to prevent so much pain and evil. I deeply regret being away when all this came up and not being here with you all.

But I can tell you that I myself was deeply hurt. Fr. Pawel and I care about you, our parish, and all of our relationships with and within the church. These stories have hurt all of us. They have hurt Fr. Marcin and Fr. Marty. I expect that Fr. Ron and Jesus have shed many tears over these stories.

I can only tell you that our faith should not be in any person, our faith should not be in the pope, bishops or priests. Our faith is in the Lord Jesus and we need to focus in Jesus. This a time of trial for the Church and the church will appear to be destroyed. What I'm going to ask you is to look at Jesus. Look to what happened to his apostles. They had to make a decision. They were to remain faithful all the way to Calvary or they are going to run away. You and I have to make the same decision, are we going to remain faithful or are we going to run away? Where we are going is just the beginning. The resurrection is going to happen after the crucifixion.

So, I ask that we stand together, support each other when needed, remember and remind each other, of the strength of our faith and the faith of those before us and those who will follow us. Remember Jesus' sacrifice for all of us, the Holy Spirit's active participation in our daily lives, and God's love is his hugging us every moment. Remember faith, hope, and love. Pray for the Spirit to keep the fires of our faith burning, pray for Jesus to keep filling us with hope through his body and blood, and pray with thankfulness for God's love and the love we each have for each other – for in the end, that is all we have when we leave this world.

We at Transfiguration are Spirit Strong. Together we will face these challenges to our faith and pray for the repair of our church. As your pastor, I assure my commitment before God, before our Blessed Mother and before all of you to protect God's children, young boys and girls and the most vulnerable in our Parish community. I'm very proud of my parish team for the commitment to keep our little ones safe and close to the Lord.

Beloved, what it happening is horrible, is tragic, is disgusting, it is evil. This kind of evil can be destroyed only with fasting and prayer. I can only tell you no matter what happens remain faithful to Jesus all the way to the crucifixion and together become great saints. Stick together. Love each other, and together; look at Jesus in prayer.

Rev. Juan Pablo Ávila Ibarra, pastor

August 26, 2018

This Week at Transfiguration**CALENDARIO SEMANAL****KALENDARZ TYGODNIOWY****Sunday, September 2**

- 8:00 am AA Meeting (closed) —YH
2:30 pm Baptisms (Eng.)—CH

Monday, September 3—Labor Day**Parish Office Closed**

- 6:30 am Journeymen Prayer Group—MR1
8:30 am Confessions—CH
6:00 pm LOTW Faith Sharing—Sp. Min. Ofc
7:00 pm Spanish Prayer Group—CH

Tuesday, September 4

- 8:30 am Confessions—CH
6:00 pm Cub Scouts Pack 90—Café
6:30 pm St. Vincent DePaul—Parish Office Kitchen
7:00 pm Evangelization Commission Meeting—Teacher's Lounge
7:00 pm Latino Liturgy Training—MR 1,2,3
7:30 pm AA Meeting (closed) - YH
7:30 pm FCA Athletic Board—Pollone Library

Wednesday, September 5

- 3:30 pm FCA G5VB Practice—PLC
6:30 pm Confessions (E/S/P)—CH
6:30 pm Youth Ministry Jr. High Friendly Night—PLC
6:30 pm Spanish Ministry —Sp. Min. Ofc
7:00 pm SOR Mass of the Holy Spirit—CH

Thursday, September 6

- 7:45 am Pastries w/Parents—Café
8:30 am Confessions—CH
6:00 pm Weight Watchers—MR1,2
6:00 pm Rosary Making—Sp. Min. Ofc
7:00 pm KoC Business Meeting —OC
7:00 pm Nuestra Señora de San Juan —Misa de las Rosas

Friday, September 7

- 8:30 am Adoration of Blessed Sacrament —CH
8:30 am WC FFA—Pollone
1:30 pm Benediction—CH
3:30 pm FCA G5VB Practice—PLC
4:00 pm Wedding: Haro & Gager
6:00 pm Mandolin & Guitar Rehearsal—Sp. Min. Ofc
6:00 pm Confessions—CH
7:00 pm Rosary—CH
7:00 pm Spanish Youth Group —Café
7:00 pm Coro Hispano—Sp. Min. Ofc
7:30 pm First Friday Mass (Spa. Language)—CH

Saturday, September 8

- 8:30 am Confessions—CH
12:00 pm Wedding: Morales & Rodriguez
5:00 pm School of Religion Classes —Classrooms
6:30 pm Spanish Rosary After Mass—CH

Parish Announcements**ANNUNCIOS PARROQUIALES****OGŁOSZENIA PARAFIALNE****1. LABOR DAY**

All offices will be closed on Monday, September 3 for the Labor Day observance. School and Parish offices will open at their respective normal times on Tuesday, September 4.

2. THE IMAGE OF OUR LADY OF SAN JUAN

The image of Our Lady of San Juan is visiting our parish Thursday, September 6-9. Complete information with respect to services can be found on our website: www.transfigurationwauconda.com

3. HOLY HOUR & CONFESSIONS

There will be no Holy hour or Confessions this Wednesday, September 5.

4. MONTHLY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION—FIRST FRIDAY

This Friday, Eucharistic Adoration begins at 8:30 am with Benediction at 1:30 pm. Please check the calendar in the bulletin for the changes made to the First Friday schedule. A sign-up book is in the vestibule for those who are able to adore for one hour. **All times need to be filled in so the Blessed Sacrament is never left unattended.**

Please, come and pray before the Lord exposed in the Blessed Sacrament. For more information call Mary Ann Fijalkiewicz at 847-526-7101.

5. RCIA

Formation for people wishing to become Catholic or complete their sacraments (Communion and/or Confirmation) will begin September 9. If you are interested in this, please contact Vicki Peloquin at 847-997-7350 or Mary Gebelhoff at 847-526-6400

6. WAUCONDA FALL FEST DONATION DEADLINE

Hometown Wauconda Fall Fest is just 2 weeks away! Wednesday, September 12 will be the last day donations for the Silent Auction and Raffle will be accepted.

7. LADIES BUNCO NIGHT

Women over age 21 are invited to join us for Bunco on September 11 in the Old White Church. RSVP either on the Transfiguration Facebook page or call the office: 847-526-2400.

8. MINISTERS OF CARE TRAINING

Ministers of Care from Transfiguration take The Holy Eucharist to Good Shepherd Hospital, Wauconda Care Nursing Home and/or to homebound parishioners. If you feel the call to be a Minister of Care, training is available! Training will be held at St. Peter Damian Parish in Bartlett on Saturday, Sept. 22 and Oct. 13. Attendance on both Saturdays is required. There is no fee. The sessions last until about 3:00 p.m. More info is available on the vicariate website at www.vic1chicago.org.

All announcements must be submitted to the bulletin for publication 10 days prior to the bulletin date.

Email to: bulletin@transfigurationwauconda.com

Please submit requests to speak at Mass one month in advance. All requests will be approved by the Pastor.

Operations

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WEEKLY OFFERING

OFRENDA SEMANAL
OFIARA TYGODNIOWA

SUNDAY, AUGUST 12, 2018

YEAR-TO-DATE BUDGET THIS YEAR

Presupuesto Anual: \$(293.89)
Budżet na Ten Rok:

SUNDAY COLLECTION:

Ofrenda Dominical: \$ 8,390.75
Niedzielną Ofiarą:

GIVECENTRAL (43 Contributors)

Ofrenda Dominical Electronica: \$ 1,660.00
GiveCentral Ofiara:

THIS WEEK LAST YEAR:

Ofrenda Dominical hace un Año: \$ 10,481.91
Ten Sam Tydzień Zeszły Rok:

NO. OF ENVELOPES THIS YEAR

Sobres usados este Año: 235
Liczba Kopert Ten Rok:

NO. OF ENVELOPES LAST YEAR

Sobres usados hace un Año: 257
Liczba Kopert Zeszły Rok:

WEEKLY OFFERING

OFRENDA SEMANAL
OFIARA TYGODNIOWA

SUNDAY, AUGUST 19, 2018

YEAR-TO-DATE BUDGET THIS YEAR

Presupuesto Anual: \$(1,051.11)
Budżet na Ten Rok:

SUNDAY COLLECTION:

Ofrenda Dominical: \$8,835.78
Niedzielną Ofiarą:

GIVECENTRAL (45 Contributors)

Ofrenda Dominical Electronica: \$ 1,907.00
GiveCentral Ofiara:

THIS WEEK LAST YEAR:

Ofrenda Dominical hace un Año: \$ 10,984.78
Ten Sam Tydzień Zeszły Rok:

HOLY DAY:

ASSUMPTION OF MARY

Segunda Colecta este Año: \$ 1,114.00
Druga Składka:

SECOND COLLECTION MISSION CO-OP:

Segunda Colecta este Año: \$2,752.75
Druga Składka:

NO. OF ENVELOPES THIS YEAR

Sobres usados este Año: 229
Liczba Kopert Ten Rok:

NO. OF ENVELOPES LAST YEAR

Sobres usados hace un Año: 243
Liczba Kopert Zeszły Rok:

REMEMBER US IN YOUR
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Help God's mission live on...

For more information please call Camie Kwasigroch,
Business Manager at (847) 526—2400 Ext. 234

HomeTown Wauconda Fall Festival

FRIDAY & SATURDAY

September 14, 2018

6pm - 11pm

September 15, 2018

2pm - 11pm

Doors Open
6pm

Food Court
6pm - 10pm

Adult Beer Pong
Tournament
6pm - 9pm

Kids Games &
Bounce House
6pm - 8pm

Teens Wheel of Cards
7pm - 9pm

"Cinful" Band
7pm - 11pm

ADMISSION
3⁰⁰ per person
16 & under FREE



Festivities held on

Transfiguration Parish Grounds
348 W Mill St., Wauconda, IL

Doors Open
2pm

Silent Auction/
Basket Raffle
2pm - 7pm

Food Court
2pm - 10pm

Kids Games &
Bounce House
2pm - 7pm

BINGO
3pm - 7pm

Teens Wheel of Cards
7pm - 9pm

Adult Beer Pong
Tournament
7pm - 10pm

"Ethan Bell" Band
7pm - 11pm

SEP
6-9

NOS VISITA LA
VIRGEN DE SAN JUAN
DE LOS LAGOS, JAL.

THE IMAGE OF OUR LADY OF SAN
JUAN IS VISITING OUR PARISH
THIS WEEK!

September 6—9, 2018

More information to come...

SEP
14-15

**HOMETOWN WAUCONDA
FALL FEST**
at Transfiguration Church

PLAN TO JOIN US!

LIVING OUR FAITH MORE LIVELY!

September 14—15, 2018

More information to come...

SEP
16

FIESTAS PATRIAS
LATINO HEARITAGE DAY

SAVE THE DATE.

Sunday, September 16, 2018

More information to come...

OCT
19-22

**LIGHT OF THE
WORLD RETREAT**

SAVE THE DATE.

October 19—22, 2018

More information to come...

**BE PART OF THE
LIGHT OF THE WORLD JOURNEY**



**HAVE A PERSONAL ENCOUNTER
WITH JESUS CHRIST
THROUGH THE POWER OF THE HOLY SPIRIT!**

OCTOBER 19 – 22, 2018

Transfiguration Parish Office
316 W. Mill St. Wauconda

Friday, October 19, 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm
Saturday, October 20, 8:00 am – 6:00 pm
Sunday, October 21, 8:00 am – 5:30 pm
Monday, October 22, 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm
18 years & older

No Cost All Meals provided No overnights

Questions? To Register:

Call Mary Ann Fijalkiewicz, (cell) 847-997-7101, (home) 847-526-7101

Or email: maryannfij@yahoo.com

KNOW AND LIVE GOD'S PLAN FOR YOU!

Morning Routines of History's Most Successful People

Wanna have a great day? **Have a great morning.** And I don't think I need to convince you that most of the time when you have a train wreck of a morning, it's not likely the rest of the day goes much better. Can that kind of day be salvaged? Sure. But it's not the ideal. So what is the ideal way to start a morning? Let's take a look at the best practices of some of history's most successful people.

BEST PRACTICE: RISE EARLY

Ben Franklin got up at 5:00 a.m. Mozart got up at 6:00 a.m. Ernest Hemingway got up at 5:30 a.m. Frank Lloyd Wright? Four o'clock in the morning. The best morning routines of the most successful people always start early. Why? Because you can't rush greatness. **Use the best practice:** This isn't about getting up at a certain hour, it's about giving your morning breathing room. No more rushing. No more snooze button. No more getting up at the last minute.

BEST PRACTICE: HAVE SOMETHING WORTH GETTING UP FOR

Why did all those people get up so early? Because they had something to do. Frank Lloyd Wright did all of his designing between 4:00 a.m. and 7:00 a.m. Mozart did all his composing before 9:00 a.m. Margaret Meade would get up at 5:00 a.m. and write 1,000 words before breakfast. Keep in mind that Mozart wasn't giving piano lessons first thing in the morning; he was composing. He was doing the most important thing—and giving his best self to that important thing. Work isn't the only thing to get up early for. For some people it's exercising. For others it's prayer. Find your important thing (or things!), and make it a priority for your morning.

Use the best practice: Figure out what is important to you. Is it prayer? Is it exercise? Is there some dream you can work towards? Figure out your why. Then set a goal and be amazed at what happens when you begin each day pursuing that goal.

BEST PRACTICE: DRINK COFFEE

I'm throwing this in here only because, in my research, almost every champion of a great morning specifically mentioned coffee as a part of their morning routine. W. H. Auden, Mozart, Benjamin Franklin, Ernest Hemingway, Soren Kierkegaard, Jane Austen, Andy Warhol, Maya Angelou, Woody Allen . . . The list could go on. Beethoven was the most serious. He rose at dawn and personally prepared his coffee to exact specifications.

He determined that sixty beans was the perfect amount per cup, and he would count them out one by one to make his coffee. **Use the best practice:** You don't really have to drink coffee if you don't want, but consider having something to help you "boot up." Maybe it's tea, or a smoothie concoction. Something that gives you that jolt of alertness.

BEST PRACTICE: PREPARE FOR THE DAY

This one is going to sound a little obvious, but the best morning routine accounts for an intentional preparation period. If today were the last day of my life, would I want to do what I am about to do today? Sigmund Freud rose every day at 7:00 a.m., ate breakfast, and had a daily visit from a local barber who would come just to trim his beard before his first appointment at 8:00 a.m. Steve Jobs asked himself the same question every single morning for over thirty years: "If today were the last day of my life, would I want to do what I am about to do today? And whenever the answer has been no for too many days in a row, I know I need to change something." **Use the best practice:** Consider getting a planner to help you prepare for the day. Get into a routine that primes you for success for the rest of the day.

BEST PRACTICE: USE YOUR INTELLECT AND WILLPOWER

This best practice is the second cousin of "have something worth getting up for." Studies show that in the morning, we are at peak performance when it comes to our intellect and willpower. A great day isn't an accident, and they almost always start the same way: with a great morning. **Use the best practice:** Do the sudoku or the crossword puzzle. Read the paper. Spend ten minutes reading a great book. Do a little study. **Do something every morning that challenges your willpower and intellect.**

There are a thousand different ways to do the morning, and you have to figure out what is right for you. If you pick a successful person and try to figure out their morning routine, you're likely going to find the five best practices above. A great day isn't an accident, and they almost always start the same way: with a great morning.

BONUS BEST PRACTICES: Make your bed. Eat a healthy breakfast. Turn off all phone notifications for the morning—no interruptions. Don't check email, social media, or text messages right when you wake up. Don't hit the snooze button. Keep your routine, even on the weekends.

AUTHOR
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Ministries and Programs 10

What is **RCIA**

RCIA prepares unbaptized adults for Baptism and for other sacraments of initiation, i.e., Confirmation and Eucharist, to be in full communion with the Church.

RCIA is also for adults who have been baptized but have not completed their sacraments of initiation.

RCIA is for anyone who would like to learn more about their Catholic faith.

The journey begins in September and continues through May each Sunday after 9:00 a.m. Mass (10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.) in the Parish Offices.

Anyone interested in learning more about the Catholic faith is welcome to contact the Transfiguration School of Religion (847) 526-6400 or Vicki Peloquin at (847) 997-7350.

Parishioners...prayerfully consider becoming part of the RCIA Team as a sponsor, catechist, or to assist with hospitality. Call Vicki Peloquin (847) 997-7350 if you are interested.



Hospital Schedule

Monday, September 3
Jim & M.A. Fijalkiewicz

Monday, September 10
Kathy Baggio & Anne Munter



Sacristan Committee

LITURGY

September 3 to September 10
Josephine Chiovari & Mary Sammons

September 10 to September 17
Carolyn Cox & Barb Yank

RESPECT LIFE NEWS -- SPIRITUAL ADOPTION

“Before I formed you in the womb
I knew you...
before you were born
I consecrated you”

Jeremiah 1:4-10

We ask that you spiritually adopt an unborn child. This is done by praying for one particular, but unknown child; that he or she is allowed the gift of life.

Respect Life Spiritually Adopted Baby Week 24

Please pray that our baby, who is not yet born, will receive the gift of Life. As we follow our unborn baby to birth, this is what’s going on in the womb during week 24.

“My auditory functions are done developing and my inner ear has grown to its full size. That means that when people talk, I can hear them completely. I enjoy the sounds of my parents’ voices and even the sounds of music and rain. It’s wonderful to know that hearing is just one of the many precious gifts that God will give me throughout my lifetime. Please pray that I will experience the most precious gift of all, LIFE.”

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whom I have spiritually adopted who is in danger of
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For more info on Respect Life Ministry, call Mary Ann Fijalkiewicz, 847-526-7101



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Featuring: Barb Skaggs

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I have learned that 7 and 8 year olds are so spiritual. They are so open to learning and discussing how much Jesus loves them and never abandons them. And what a wonderful world God has blessed us with! I have learned that Jesus Christ is truly God's greatest gift to us. And I hope to pass this amazing truth on to our children.

This catechist program has given me a deeper and more meaningful prayer life; and I am grateful for this blessing. I would encourage any of you who think you are being called to teach or help out in any way to be open to this possibility. Talk with someone in the Religious Education program. It doesn't mean you are committed to anything. Just keep an open mind. The Holy Spirit may be calling you!!

God bless you and please pray for our children.

The School of Religion is very grateful to Barb Skaggs and our many catechists and aides for their service. It takes many hands and a great deal of faith to bring Jesus Christ to our children. Won't you consider being a part of God's team? Please pray on it and call Mary at 847-526-6400 x239 for more information.



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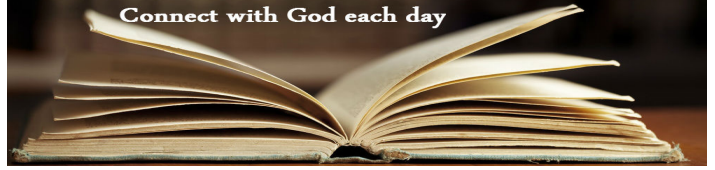
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5:00 pm English Language Mass		SATURDAY	
FR. Volunteer Needed Lorrie Gaughan <u>Marilyn Downes</u>	Vicki Peloquin Mike Keane <u>Bill Barron</u> Volunteer Needed	Amy Keane Mason Gomez Jack Glasnovich	G: Volunteer Needed Volunteer Needed L: Caitlin Keane
6:30 pm Spanish Language Mass			
FR. JUAN PABLO Juana Garcia Jose Cervantes Lilian Ruano	Bayron Ruano Fabian Galicia Reyna Galicia Lucina Medellin	Eddy Gonzalez Josue Gurrero Liliana Perez Vanessa Esquivel	L1: Luis Cabrera Ps: Luis Cabrera L2: Ana Clara Ortiz Peticones: Ana C. Ortiz
7:30 am English Language Mass		SUNDAY	
FR. Monica Glavey Christine Rowe Yuliana Perez	Christine Efflandt Rick Glavey <u>Judy Greco</u> Tom Lahrman	Stanley Rebmann Eleanor Rebmann	G: Tami DeGroot Barbara Zonca L: Christopher Fisher
9:00 am English Language Mass			
FR. Alicia DeLa Fuente Britany Ortiz Jesse Ortiz Margaret Wilkosz Carolyn Cox	Mary Ann Fijalkiewicz Marina Ortiz Vincent Lazaro <u>Karen Lazaro</u> Kathleen O'Day Maria Weisbruch	Jonah Lazaro Andrea Lazaro Eddy Gonzalez	G: Volunteer Needed Volunteer Needed L1: Leslie Lauer L2: Jeanne Blair
11:00 am English Language Mass			
FR. <u>Beata Dempsey</u> Volunteer Needed Volunteer Needed	Leif Ceniza Bev McKeown <u>Jill Ryan</u> John Wallor	Noah Kovarik Volunteer Needed Volunteer Needed	G: Volunteer Needed Volunteer Needed L: Josette Pezowicz
12:30 pm Polish Language Mass			
FR: PAWEL	Josette Pezowicz Krystyna Talaga		C: Maria Czaja L1: Katarzyna Makowski L2: Edward Cyran

(NM) Denotes New Minister (may need assistance)

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